

Chronic Joint Symptoms - (Calculated Variable)*
Kentucky BRFSS 2001

Demographic Groups	Total Respond.#	Yes			No		
		N	%	C.I.(95%)	N	%	C.I.(95%)
TOTAL	7493	2607	30.2	(28.8-31.7)	4886	69.8	(68.3-71.2)
GENDER							
Male	2916	916	27.1	(25.0-29.4)	2000	72.9	(70.6-75.0)
Female	4577	1691	33.1	(31.2-35.0)	2886	66.9	(65.0-68.8)
RACE							
White/NH	6835	2421	30.8	(29.3-32.4)	4414	69.2	(67.6-70.7)
African American/NH	369	94	25.3	(19.7-31.9)	275	74.7	(68.1-80.3)
AGE							
18-24	567	65	9.6	(7.1-12.9)	502	90.4	(87.1-92.9)
25-34	1238	241	19.2	(16.4-22.3)	997	80.8	(77.7-83.6)
35-44	1482	452	27.8	(24.7-31.1)	1030	72.2	(68.9-75.3)
45-54	1435	584	35.0	(31.7-38.5)	851	65.0	(61.5-68.3)
55-64	1142	538	43.8	(39.8-48.0)	604	56.2	(52.0-60.2)
65+	1597	719	44.4	(40.9-48.0)	878	55.6	(52.0-59.1)
EDUCATION							
Less Than H.S.	1736	839	44.7	(41.5-48.0)	897	55.3	(52.0-58.5)
H.S. or G.E.D.	2823	944	30.1	(27.7-32.6)	1879	69.9	(67.4-72.3)
Some Post-H.S.	1684	532	26.1	(23.3-29.2)	1152	73.9	(70.8-76.7)
College Graduate	1231	282	21.0	(18.0-24.2)	949	79.0	(75.8-82.0)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME							
Less than \$15,000	1077	596	48.1	(43.6-52.7)	481	51.9	(47.3-56.4)

\$15,000- 24,999	1241	459 35.0 (31.3-38.8)	782 65.0 (61.2-68.7)
\$25,000- 34,999	843	243 28.9 (24.7-33.6)	600 71.1 (66.4-75.3)
\$35,000- 49,999	907	256 29.9 (25.6-34.6)	651 70.1 (65.4-74.4)
\$50,000+	1248	285 21.3 (18.3-24.5)	963 78.7 (75.5-81.7)

*The data are calculated from 'yes' responses to two questions: 1) During the past twelve months have you had pain or stiffness in or around a joint? 2) Were these symptoms present on most days for at least one month?

Response is generalized to the state population

#Use caution in interpreting data for total respondents less than 50. N = Cell Size, NH = Non-Hispanic, %

= Percentage, C.I.(95%) = Confidence Interval (at 95 percent probability level).

Percentages are weighted to population characteristics.

Unless stated differently above, Missing, 'Don't know', and Refused responses are excluded.